Town of Marilla

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Dear Residents, September, 2005

TOWNWIDE RUBBISH COLLECTION_- September 26, 2005

The Fall rubbish collection will start on Monday, September 26, 2005. Please do not wait for your regular trash day. All items MUST be at roadside by 7:00 AM on the 26th as there will be no return trips. Individuals bringing rubbish from outside the Town will be prosecuted. If you see anyone dumping trash, please call the Sheriff's Dept

NEW POLICY

Items will be picked up by type with metals on one truck and mattresses and overstuffed furniture on another, household garbage & plastics on a separate truck. Please sort by type of material or items will not be taken. Rubbish in piles will not be picked up! Only Reasonable amounts will be accepted.

Please read the following carefully as to acceptable and non-acceptable items.

ACCEPTED MATERIALS include appliances, ex: dryers, drained hot water tanks, refrigerators and freezers with doors removed. Also accepted are bulky items such as overstuffed furniture, mattresses, box springs and other furniture. Metals of various types will also be accepted EXCEPT new or used metal drums or barrels of any size, ex: 55 gal. drums. No items should be over 12 feet in length. Old window glass can be included in your regular sanitation pickup.

RECYCLING REMINDERS

The Recycling Center is open on the **2nd and the last Saturday** of the month from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM as well as **every Tuesday** from 12:30 to 3:15 PM all year round.

Reminder: Only recyclable materials will be accepted at the Recycling Center.

Reminder: Regular trash should not be placed at the roadside prior to 18 hours before your weekly pickup.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTABLE include any item containing gasoline, garbage, construction and demolition materials-ex: plasterboard, concrete, bricks, wood, roofing materials, poisons, acids, caustics, explosives, ashes, brush, junk vehicles, animal waste, compost materials, tires, batteries and used motor oil. PLEASE MARK any container which you do not want taken during cleanup as the Town WILL NOT be responsible for containers not marked "save", nor will they replace any items put at roadside in error. For further information, you may call Dawn Pearce, Town Clerk at 652-5350, John R. Foss, Supervisor at 652-7293 or David Pierce, Highway/Sanitation Superintendent at 652-7311.

DOG CONTROL

To contact the Dog Warden please call pager #460-0681, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

OLD TIRES WILL BE ACCEPTED

Old tires will be accepted at the Marilla Highway Garage located on Webster Lane off West Ave. on Saturday, October 1 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM for the following fees:

- \$1.50 for sizes up to but not including 7.50 x 20
- \$6.00 for sizes 7.50 x 20 through 9.00 x 20
- \$8.00 for sizes 10.00 x 20 through 11.00 x 24.5
- \$.35 per lb. for any tires larger than 11.00 x 24.5.

They must be accompanied by an approved weight slip. Tires will not be accepted from commercial establishments or on rims. Please report any illegal dumping of tires or other materials to the Sheriff's at 911.

TAX COLLECTION

School Tax Collection begins on September 15 in the Town Clerk's Office through **October 17**th **without penalty**. The hours of collection are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9:00 am – 4:30pm, Tuesday evening 7:00pm – 9:00 pm, and Wednesday 9:00am – 12:00pm. We will be closed

on October 10th in observance of Columbus Day. Please notice the name change on your school tax bills, **Town Clerk/Tax Collector Dawn Flanigan's new married name is Dawn Pearce.**

2006 Tentative Budget

Supervisor Foss reported that he is currently preparing the 2006 Budget and it will be completed by October 1st. The County Budget Crisis is creating problems in determining what the Town will have to do to maintain services. To date we will have to supplement the Library Budget to keep it open as was announced officially September 1st. Everything else is still unsettled and we may not know until after January 1st when the new Legislature convenes. The Town has sufficient reserves to cover the Library cost without raising taxes. The General Fund will again have a zero tax rate and the Highway and Sanitation will remain the same. All Water Districts will remain the same. We will continue to work to keep Marilla's tax rates at a reasonable and affordable level.

John R. Foss, Supervisor

Councilman – Barbara A. Spanitz Councilman – George Gertz Councilman - Fred Specht Councilman - Warren Handley